

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8044  
INFO ALL EC CAPITALS  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: LOS, EEC  
SUBJECT: EC COMMUNITY CLAUSE IN LOS AGREEMENT

1. EC COMMISSION DIRECTOR FOR NORTH AMERICAN AFFAIRS  
MEYNELL CALLED IN DCM JULY 25 TO REQUEST U.S. SUPPORT  
FOR PROPOSED CLAUSE IN LOS AGREEMENT WHICH WOULD PERMIT  
COMMUNITY TO IMPLEMENT THE TREATY IN THOSE AREAS FOR  
WHICH IT HAS COMPETENCE. THE CLAUSE WHICH COMMUNITY  
PROPOSES TO INSERT IN TEXT OF TREATY IS THE SAME AS THAT  
CIRCULATED AS CONFERENCE DOCUMENT A/CONF.62/54, WHICH  
IS THE LETTER FROM THE UK REPRESENTATIVE DATED JUNE 6,  
1977.

2. COMMISSION REALIZES THAT THIS HAS BEEN DISCUSSED ON  
PREVIOUS OCCASIONS WITH U.S. LOS REPS BUT IS REQUESTING  
AT THIS TIME EXPLICIT U.S. AGREEMENT TO SUPPORT COMMUNITY  
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IN GETTING THIS TEXT ADOPTED. IF THE U.S. HAS SPECIFIC  
QUESTIONS OR PROBLEMS WITH THIS LANGUAGE, MEYNELL URGED  
THAT WE MAKE THEM KNOWN NOW, SO AS TO FACILITATE AGREEMENT  
TO SUPPORT.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: INDICATION OF U.S. AGREEMENT TO  
SUPPORT EC AT NEXT LOS MEETING OR SPECIFIC COMMENTS ON

LANGUAGE OF COMMUNITY CLAUSE FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION WITH  
COMMISSION. HINTON

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